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**PATENT APPLICATION**

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**Confirmation No.: 2433**

**Examiner: Shah, Manish S.**

**Group Art Unit: 2853**

**Title: Ink Drying System for Printer**

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<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED 11/25/2005**

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In response to the Office Action of 11/25/2005, please amend the above-  
identified application as follows:

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**Amendments to the claims** are reflected by the listing of claims, which  
begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments start on page 11 of this paper.**

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